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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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Sir:

This submission is in response to the Official Action of November 22, 2005 requiring restriction/election of the group of claims to be examined on the merits.

Restriction Requirement of November 22, 2005

In an official action issued November 22, 2005, two groups of claims were identified by the Patent Office as corresponding to separate inventions under 35 U.S.C. § 121. These were:

Group I: Claims 1-33

Drawn to “Illumination for a container (e.g. bag, purse, trunk)”

Classified in class 362, subclass 156.

Group II: Claims 34-37

Drawn to “Automated electrical financial and business practice or management arrangement”

Classified in class 705, subclass 1.

Applicant was required to elect a single group of claims for examination on the merits.

Election of Claim Group for Examination

Applicant hereby elects the claims of Group I (Claims 1-33) for examination on the merits without prejudice to prosecution of the remaining claims in another application.

This Response to Restriction Requirement is being filed within one month of the original due date with a Petition for a One Month Extension of Time.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge the required fee for an extension of time and any other fee required to maintain pendency of the present application to Deposit Account No. 23-1703.

Dated: January 23, 2006

Respectfully submitted,

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